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GERMAN BRIBE OVER MILLION, OFFERED FOR MONTH'S STRIKE

Toledo, O., Sept. 18.—German agents offered T. V. O'Connor, president of the International Longshoremen's union, \$1,035,000 for a one month's general strike of his men along the Atlantic and Pacific seaboard.

That was the statement made by O'Connor himself. He told delegates from the Longshoremen's union of the Great Lakes district of the offer and cautioned them not to be misled by machinations of German or Austrian agents.

The huge bribe, O'Connor said, was made by a Boston grocer, the money being equivalent to one month's strike benefits for the 24,000 men in the

deep water division. A strike, O'Connor stated, would greatly hamper the shipment of munitions to the allies, and give Austro-German agents a better opportunity to plant bombs in vessels.

PAROLES ISSUED TO TEN; ONE CASE OF INTEREST

Oklahoma City, Sept. 18.—Ten paroles were issued Thursday morning by Col. J. M. Crook, state parole officer, after receiving the signature of the governor to the instruments.

One case is of peculiar interest, being that of Clive Sprull of Osage county, sentenced to the penitentiary for seven years on a charge of rape. A statement from the county attorney of Osage county is to the effect that the alleged victim now is dead, but shortly after Sprull's conviction she confessed that she had given perjured testimony and that he was innocent of the charge.

Others paroled are:

M. G. Holloway, Carter county, one year; forgery.

Ab Jones, Grady county, two years, theft.

Mrs. Cora Lawson, Bryan county, four years; manslaughter.

R. M. Allen, Osage county; seven years; manslaughter.

Harry Ford, Tillman county; two years; burglary.

Alieo, Oaks, Haskell county; three years; embezzlement.

Jack Kendrick, Jefferson county; 30 days and \$50 fine; violation of prohibition law.

R. D. Horton, Jefferson county; six years; manslaughter.

Arch Blakely, Garvin county; 30 days; minor offense.

Says Conductor Assaulted Him.

Chickasha, Okla., Sept. 18.—W. L. Walker of Chickasha has filed suit against the St. Louis & San Francisco railway for \$10,000 alleged damages. He alleges that on Sept. 9, 1915, he was a passenger on the train going from Chickasha to Cyril, Okla. He avers that Conductor Trotter accused him of kicking over a cuspidor and when he denied it the conductor assaulted him with a ticket punch and struck him about the face, injuring him and his feelings to the amount of \$10,000, which he asks judgment for.

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TRADES DAY WAS LOST IN THE SHUFFLE

LACK OF INTEREST OR INDIFFERENCE ON PART OF ADVERTISING COMMITTEE HAS LET THE PROPOSITION GO.

"Some time ago there was a meeting at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce where the nucleus of an Ad club was formed with temporary officers selected and tentative plans formulated that were left to those officers to work out and report at a subsequent meeting," remarked a business man yesterday morning, "but for some unaccountable reason that committee has either forgotten what they were appointed for, or else they have come to the conclusion that Ardmore does not require anything of the kind, for they have never uttered a chirp since, and now it is doubtful if they remember what they were appointed for."

All of which seems to be recalled as a whole lot of gospel. It was decided that Ardmore should have a trades day at that meeting and the tentative plans were mapped out, but, as the citizen above remarks, unless some hypodermic is injected into this committee and the question put into tangible form, the chances are that Ardmore will continue in the same old way, while every city adjacent to us and in our trade territory are pulling off trades and bargain days and reaping the jitneys.

In every home where there are children there should be a bottle of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. It destroys worms and acts as a tonic in the debilitated system. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Bomar Drug Co.

FIRE ALARM SYSTEM NEXT NEED OF CITY

WILL COST SOMETHING TO INSTALL, BUT WILL BE WORTH MANY TIMES COST IN SAVING ON ONE FIRE.

The day is rapidly approaching when Ardmore will have to be equipped with an up-to-date fire alarm system. The initial cost of such a system has been estimated at \$15,000, but the advantages gained by such a system would far outweigh the cost.

The present system of notifying the department of a fire, while good in itself, is not infallible, and is liable to mistakes in giving the direction, while on the other hand the fire alarm system leaves no room for doubt in the mind of the chief as to the location of the fire. The question of installing the system has been advocated by every head of the fire department for several years and they hope to ultimately succeed in inducing the city commissioners to take the matter up favorably with them in the near future.

One disastrous fire caused by a mistake in giving directions would more than pay for the entire system, and with this phase of the matter in view the city officials are giving the proposition serious thought.

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3:15 7:30 Lone Grove	10:50 6:15
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MUST WORK OR LEAVE THE CITY SAYS MAYOR

THOSE WELL GROOMED INDIVIDUALS WHO TOIL NOT, NEITHER DO THEY SPIN WILL HAVE TO DON WORKER'S GARB.

From a private tip handed out by the mayor yesterday morning it appears that it is going to be hard traveling for some of the well-groomed, well-fed individuals who infest the city, who have no visible means of support, but who are known to have dealt the cards and rattled the bones beneath the green-shaded lamp in days past, inasmuch as they are going to be gathered in as common "vags" and sent to the street gang, as well as fined, if they stay in this city and fail to secure a legitimate job.

"It is going to be a case of getting a job or leaving the city with this bunch," said the mayor yesterday morning. "I know every one of them and know that when they are in this city, standing around on the street corners, idle during the day, they are dealing from the bottom at night to a bunch of 'suckers,' and I am going to see that they hike or get busy with a job of some sort and I mean by that a job that is above suspicion."

This announcement will not appeal to the ears of the erstwhile "gams" as sweet music. Heretofore they have been taking all such announcements with a grain of salt on the side, but the chances are the present mayor will hand them a jolt that will hold them for a minute or two if he makes good his statement.

HOW THRIFT IS TAUGHT IN CITY SCHOOLS

ONE BOY EARNED \$250 ON A VACANT CITY LOT — ONE NEW DEPARTMENT ADDED — AN INCREASED ENROLLMENT.

When those boys and girls walked from the schoolroom into the world last spring no one thought that before the September days came again that they would have earned in excess of ten thousand dollars. The teaching of thrift was begun some three years ago in the city schools and the eyes of the boys sparkle with the earning of every dollar, and there is a note of triumph in the rendering of their reports.

The exact sum earned by the pupils as reported is \$10,328.78 and out of these earnings the pupils saved in actual money \$4,171.32.

One boy by operating an automobile for hire made an average of more than \$80 a month. Two fourth grade pupils, in doing farm work, earned respectively \$115 and \$90 each. The greatest earning capacity was probably developed by a son of Mack Pettitt. This boy secured the right to cultivate some vacant lots in the

Assist Your Stomach

To Get Rid of the Poisonous Gases and Fermenting Food.

A good long fast will do this sometimes. A trip to the mountains. Tramping. Roughing it. Yes, very good remedies. But are you going to avail yourself of either one of these remedies? No? Then the next best thing is to try a bottle of Peruna. Take it according to directions. You will have a natural appetite. All gas and fermentation in the stomach will disappear.

Read what Mrs. Emma Bell, Box 204, Fort Pierce, Florida, says: "I was taken suddenly with swelling of the stomach and bowels, and great distress. Very painful. Three doctors gave me no relief. Could not eat anything. Everything soured. I was starving to death. I began taking Peruna and was soon strong enough to do work. After taking five bottles I can truthfully say I am well. I gained twenty pounds."

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city. He raised a variety of vegetables, and his net earnings were a little in excess of \$250. The boy found joy in making his report. He is inspired with the determination to accomplish bigger things next year and has his plans laid to earn \$1,000. By the time he completes the course in the city school he will have saved a sufficient sum to take him through college. This boy's work demonstrates that there is a way to success.

The city schools began this year with an enrollment of 3,697. The enrollment the first week last year was 1,832. The gain is 265 pupils which is a pretty good school, itself. The first ward has 442 pupils, the second ward 387, the third ward 333, the fourth ward 323, the high school 350 and the colored school 262.

Supt. Richards expresses the opinion that he has the best faculty he has ever had in the schools, and he is expecting the best school year in the history of the city.

Athletics.

Prof. H. H. Mead, who was teacher of science and athletics here three years ago, has returned. He has just completed a three-year course in law at the Michigan university, at Ann Arbor. He was one of the university stars on the football squad and returns with a greater experience in athletics than he possessed when he was here before. Prof. Mead built up much interest in athletics when he was here before and he will do the same thing again this year. The boys are loyal to him they accept him as a leader in sports, and some new athletic timber has been added to the school this year on account of his coming.

Some New Rules.

Pupils who do not fall below 85 in their daily grades and whose department does not come below that percentage will be excused from examinations. In order to avail themselves of this privilege, pupils must not have any unexcused absences to their credit. One-fourth of a credit toward graduation will be allowed for each satisfactory year in music, and one credit will be allowed for four years of satisfactory work.

One New Department.

A department of normal training has been added this year. Pupils who complete this course will be issued a two years' state certificate of proficiency in teaching without an examination. The certificate being issued from the state will be good in any county in the state. The normal course will be a great advantage to such of the pupils as may desire to teach.

A class in expression will be conducted by a graduate of the Byron W. King school of oratory in Pittsburg, but tuition in this department will be charged. The board has not provided for free instruction. The teacher will have the moral backing of the school and will be under the supervision of the superintendent, and every effort will be made to have a successful year in this new department.

There is a spirit of harmony and of loyalty in every school and in every grade, and all the teachers are looking forward to a great year of work.

OKLAHOMA BANKER DIES

Luther Hopkins Was Hurt in Auto Accident on September 6.

Muskogee, Okla., Sept. 18.—Luther Hopkins, cashier of the Porter State bank of Porter, Okla., who sustained internal injuries in an automobile accident here on the night of Sept. 6, died of his injuries at the Muskogee hospital today.

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LAND OFFICES CONSOLIDATED.

Government Will Hereafter Conduct Public Land Business in Guthrie.

Washington, Sept. 18.—An order was made by Secretary of the Interior Lane consolidating the government land office at Woodward, Okla., with the land office at Guthrie. There were 42,177 acres of public land remaining in Oklahoma on July 1, and the expenses of sales and filings at the Woodward office for the fiscal year ending June 30 amounted to 67 per cent of the receipts. The Guthrie office recently removed to the new federal building at that place, and being central to the state, the announcement says, that office will be able to attend to the business.

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